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**Presidents Report** 

March 2024

The clubs adventure to the Yankee Air Museum in Belleville was successful with 18 attending the museum and lunch at the Twisted Rooster in Belleville.

Friday April 19 – Motor City Solutions – 24331 Brest Road, Taylor – 1:00 pm Tour this state-ofthe-art facility Restoring lightweight composites, full restorations, and custom body work. After our tour venture over to Pete's Place, 12245 Telegraph Rd., Taylor and enjoy lunch and car talk with fellow club members. RSVP to JoAnn by Wednesday April 17 via phone/text 248-719-0160 or e-mail joannbill801@comcast.net

The plans for the Spring Dust Off for late May are still on the drawing board and will be sent out as soon as plans are completed.

The terms for all WWTC's board expire on January 1, 2025. We are an active Thunderbird Club, the largest in Michigan. To keep the club moving forward we need members to step up and become a leader of our organization. A nominee for the Board shall have been a member of the WWTC for (1) one year and terms on the Board are for (2) years. Nominations for President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer are due to the current President (JoAnn) by July 30, 2024. Please consider serving on our Board. If you have any questions about the duties of an officer contact JoAnn (248) 719-0160 or any Board member. Without your help we cannot move forward.

Looking forward to spring. Celebrate St. Patrick's Day with a stein of green beer.

JoAnn Rodriguez President

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### 2024 Schedule of Events:

- Jan 27th Sat. Flat Rock Model Train
- Feb 17th Sat. Yankee Air Museum
- Mar 7<sup>th</sup> Ypsilanti Warehouse
- Apr 19th Fri. Motor City Solutions
- May Spring Dust Off
- June Being Scheduled
- July Annual Club Picnic
- Aug 11<sup>th</sup> Pre-Dream Cruise
- Sept. 15<sup>th</sup> All Thunderbird Day
- Oct 13th Hines Park Cider Cruise
- Nov 9<sup>th</sup> 2025 Planning Meeting
- Dec 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Club Christmas Party



### UPCOMING EVENTS

Fowlerville Fair grounds Swap Meet – May 4, 2024 – 8:00-5:00 Vintage Motor Club of America

Ford Archives – Thursday June 20 – 1:00 – 2:00 – Ciera Castel representing Ford Archives invited Tbird Clubs for tour of archives. Suggesting lunch after tour at Buddy's

Classics at the City Club – Saturday May 25, 2024 - Ann Arbor City Club – 1830 Washtenaw Ave., Ann Arbor, MI 48104 - For additional information contact Greg Fleming -greg@annarborcityclub.org or 734-662-3279

American Road Events - TART

Charter Bus to Gilmore Museum – Tuesday May 21 – \$45.00 Contact – Doug Richman – darichman@att.net

Piquette Plant – Sunday June 2 – Details are still being completed

They are also working with Motor Muster to have all T-Birds parked together -June 15-16 – Greenfield Village

## DUES FOR 2024 ARE DUE BY

**JANUARY 1, 2024** 

Please attach the form below with your check

2024 MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL—IF NO CHANGES

NAME

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

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DATE Check No. \$25 via E-mail \$35 for printed

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### For Sale:

1963 Ford Thunderbird for sale for \$35,000. It has a 390ci V8 engine with 300 HP. The engine and transmission have been rebuilt. Original Arizona car purchased in 1982. All original sheet metal. Interior has been reupholstered. Front and rear bumpers have been replated. The car appeared in the 2012 film Detroit Unleaded. The car also appeared in the 2022 Autorama in Detroit. The Thunderbird won an award at the car show at Bakers in Milford. It also won first place in its category at the Water Wonderland Thunderbird show in Livonia. Robert Duminske

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